## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 496 By Rochelle

A RESOLUTION to honor Jack Willard Carey, III, 1997 Valedictorian of Trousdale County High School.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly should honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Jack Willard Carey, III is one such outstanding student who has distinguished himself as valedictorian of the 1997 graduating class at Trousdale County High School; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Jack Carey has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, in his laudable high school career, Jack has earned an exceptional 99.435897 grade point average, the highest average in the history of Trousdale County High School; and

WHEREAS, Jack has served with acumen and acuity in numerous academic and extracurricular organizations, including the Beta Club, the Spanish Club, the School Media, the Newspaper Staff and the Student Council; and

WHEREAS, Jack Carey's display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for his future success; and

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WHEREAS, Jack's noteworthy achievement is a great source of pride for his parents, Dr. Jack and Linda Carey, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, following graduation, Jack Carey will grace the campus of Vanderbilt University to study pre-medicine; and

WHEREAS, Jack Carey's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor Jack Willard Carey, III, the 1997
Trousdale County High School Valedictorian on his impressive academic achievement, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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